## Minutes of Regular Meeting lola Texas Board of Alderman March 11, 2025

The Board of Alderman of the City of Iola, Grimes County, Texas, met in regular session Tuesday March 11, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at the Iola Community Center Building in Iola TX. Members present: Mayor Christina Stover, presiding, Alderman present: Sammie Echols, Curtis Darby, Ben Landry, Becky Evans, and Wayne Cadro.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Minutes for the regular meeting held on February 11, 2025, were read for approval. Motion to approve by Curtis Darby, second by Ben Landry. Motion carries unanimously.

New Business was conducted:

The Council approved an Ordinance to proclaim April 2025 National Child Abuse Awareness Month presented by Mrs. Gail Sowell.

The council discussed the General Election to be held on May 3, 2025. No candidates were opposed. Alderpersons Wayne Cadro and Ben Landry and new applicant Gail Black are here-by declared elected. The new term will begin June 2025.

Becky Evans made a motion to cancel the previously ordered General Election by Ordinance, seconded by Ben Landry. Motion carries unanimously.

The Council discussed the Special Election to be held May 3, 2025 for the ¼ of 1 percent of sales tax to be reauthorized for the Road Maintenance fund. No action was required.

The Council discussed a certain disclosure letter from BOK Financial Securities. No action was needed.

The Council discussed payment of invoice # 3266 from Bovey and Cochran, PLLC. Motion to approve to pay by Curtis Darby. Second by Wayne Cadro. Motion carried unanimously

The Council discussed the progress of the TWDB WWTP project. No action was needed at this time.

The Council signed the Related Party forms required by the Davis Heinemann, CPA to complete the FY 23-24 Audit.

Finance Reports were considered for approval. Motion by Curtis Darby to approve as written, seconded by Becky Evans. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting was adjourned at about 8:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted by Norma Kouff Donna Ray, Secretary